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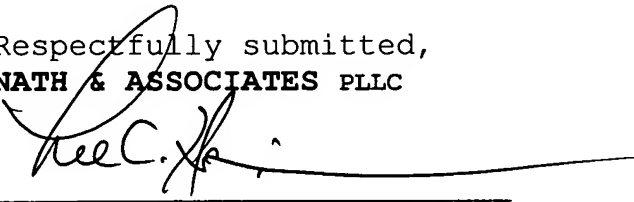
Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark
Office is the following:

- (1) Transmittal Letter;
- (2) Filing Form For Continuation U.S. Patent Application;
- (3) Continuation application including:
 - 24 Pages Application Consisting of:
 - 13 Pages of Textual Specification,
 - 3 Pages of 19 Claims,
 - 1 page containing the Abstract of the Disclosure,
 - 7 sheets of drawings;
- (4) **Preliminary Amendment with Attachment A;**
- (5) Information Disclosure Statement;
- (6) PTO Form 1449 with references;
- (7) Revocation and Power of Attorney;
- (8) Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b);
- (9) Copy of executed Declaration from parent application;
- (10) Copy of Assignment with Notice of Recordation of Assignment;
- (11) Check No. 20633 \$385.00 for filing fee as a small
entity;
- (12) Postcard for early notification of serial number.

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Sir:

1. This is a Request for filing a
☒ Continuation Application under:
☒ 37 CFR § 1.53(b)(1)
☐ Divisional Application under:
☐ 37 CFR § 1.53(b)(1)
☐ Continuation-In-Part (CIP) application
☐ 37 CFR § 1.53(b)(2)

of **prior** ("parent") application:
Serial No. 10/059,728
Filed: January 29, 2002
Entitled: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ASSISTING IN
APPLYING AN ORTHODONTIC TREATMENT**
2. ☒ *Enclosed for application under 37 CFR § 1.53(b) are:
☒ 17 pages of text (specification, claims, abstract)
☒ 19 claims
☒ 7 sheets of drawings

3. The **present** application names the following inventor(s):

Avi KOPELMAN; Eldad TAUB; and Baruch NISSENBAUM

____ (37 CFR § 1.53--"CIP") The above-identified application (in which no payment of the Issue Fee, abandonment of or termination of proceedings has occurred) is hereby expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this new application.

The **Total Filing Fee** is calculated as follows:

____ Enter the Amendment filed in the prior patent application on _____ prior to calculating the filing fee.

 X Enter the enclosed Preliminary Amendment prior to calculating the filing fee.

		(Col 1)		(Col 2)	SMALL ENTITY		OR	NON-SMALL ENTITY	
		NUMBER OF CLAIMS FILED		NUMBER OF EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE		RATE	FEE
TOTAL		19	minus 20	0	x9=	0		x18=	0
INDEP		3	minus 3	0	x43=	0		x64=	0
BASE FILING FEE:					+385=	385		+740=	0
xx Multiple Dependent Claims					+140=	0		+280=	0
					TOTAL	385	OR	TOTAL	0

 X Applicant(s) is/are a "small entity". A Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status:

 X was filed in the parent application, and small entity status is still proper and desired (Rules 60, 62 only);

____ is filed herewith;

____ will be filed at a later date.

 X A check including the above-indicated filing fee is enclosed.

 X A Petition for Extension of Time (to keep the parent case pending) is filed concurrently in the parent case.

___ Assignment document(s) is/are submitted herewith, with a check including the recordation fee of \$40.00 per Assignment.

___ No check is enclosed. A Declaration and Power of Attorney will be submitted at a later date pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.41, 1.53, together with a check for the "Total Filing Fee" calculated above and a surcharge under 37 CFR § 1.16(e).

X The prior application is assigned of record to CADENT LTD., of Or Yehuda, Israel, the Assignment being recorded on May 2, 2002, on Reel 012879, Frame(s) 0172.

___ An original executed Declaration is enclosed.

X Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

-- This is a Continuation Application of U.S. Patent Application 10/059,728 filed January 29, 2002, the contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety.--

___ Foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 of application(s) _____, filed _____, is hereby claimed. The certified priority paper(s):
___ was/were filed in the parent case;
___ is/are enclosed herewith;
___ will be submitted at a later date.

X The Revocation and Power of Attorney in the prior application is to Gary M. Nath, Registration No. 26,965, Customer No. 20529 et al.

X The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.

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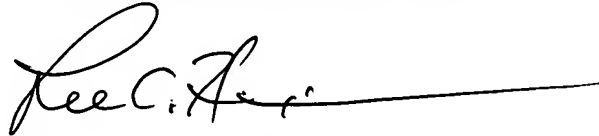
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 If extensions of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to prevent abandonment of the parent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned to allow copendency of the parent and the present continuing application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fee deficiency under 37 CFR § 1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

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